THE DAILY INDEPENDENT.

VOL. 5. NO. 16 — MONESSEN, PA., FRIDAY, JULY 13, 1906. — SIX CENTS THE WEEK

TWO MONESSEN BOYS INSTANTLY KILLED.

Lives Crushed out Yesterday Afternoon by 4:16 Train.

NOT AWARE OF DANGER.

Bodies Brought to Morgue in this City and Parents Notified. Funerals will be Held Tomorrow.

Horrible in detail was the sad ending of the two little boys who had their lives crushed out without a moments warning by the 4 o'clock train yesterday afternoon just below Monessen. The untimely end of little James Riley aged 11 years and his playmate Johnie Spiegelburg aged 9 years is without a parellel to the average recorder of accidents in this community.

Yesterday afternoon a crowd of eight or ten boys went to the river in the vicinity of the Brewery for the purpose of bathing and spent an hour or two down at the river. The Spiegelburg boy and the Riley boy becoming tired of the sport decided to go out on the hill below town in search of berries and so they left the crowd and walked up over the river bank to the railroad. A freight train southbound arrived just as the boys went to cross the traces. They stepped off the track in front of the freight train just as the passenger train due at Monessen at 4:16 was approaching. Not concious of its approach both boys stepped on the track in front of the engine and were ground under the wheels. The engineer acted promptly and the train was brought to a standstill.

The one boy was hurled about 20 feet in front of the engine, and the other little boy was taken out from under the engine. The excitement among the passengers was great, women screamed and fainted as the train crew gathered up the mangled remains. The bodies were placed on a stretcher and taken on the train.

Both were killed outright and the bodies were taken to Webster and transferred to the 6 o'clock train and brought back to Monessen.

Word reached Monessen before the arrival of the train that two boys had been ground to pieces by the 4 o'clock train and that no one was able to identify them. Consequently many parents whose children were not within sight rushed to the station frantic.

When the bodies were taken off the train and uncovered they were positively identified and the sad message sent to the two homes.

The remains were taken to Frank Wright's morgue and prepared for burial and later transfered to the parental homes

James Riley was aged 11 years and is a stepson of Conrad Schalk. He leaves to mourn the loss a mother, two sisters and two brothers. The funeral services will take place tomorrow at 10:30 o'clock at the Roman Catholic church, Rev. Father Wigley officiating.

John Gottleib Spiegelburg was aged 9 years and was a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Spiegelburg Schoonmaker avenue. Both parents are heartbroken over their awful loss. Five children yet remain three boys and two girls The funeral services will take place at the family home tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock, and at the church at 1:30, Rev. Waltner of the German Lutheran church officiating. Interment in the Belle Vernon cemetery.

Knight Templars Hold Dance

About fifty couples assembled at Eldora park last night to participate in the Knight Templar dance held there under the auspices of the Charleroi lodge. The ...ering was composed of the Charleroi, ...ngahela, Donora and Monessen ...s and proved to be a very delightful and enjoyable affair. The park orchestra furnished the music for dancing ... Pittsburg quartet entertained at ... About twelve couples were ... Monessen.

INTERESTING NEWS

Gathered by Our Reporters in Monessen and Vicinity.

A cool delicious lemonade at Kirk's Fountains

W. P. Lamont went to Monongahela today on a business errand.

Dr. Barben, Dentist —Best work at reasonable prices.

Miss Elizabeth McConnell spent yesterday with friends at Pittsburg.

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The Baptist church lots on Schoonmaker avenue are being graded and fitted for holding socials.

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Frank Henry has been added to the the clerical force at the post office during the absence of Rose Nevins.

You may ignore the great inducement we are offering during our clearance sale, but it will be an injustice to your pocket book—Abe Nayhouse.

All members of the Delta Alpha society are requested to be present at a meeting to be held this evening in their class rooms, when election of officers will take place.

That Donora is at present a prosperous town is demonstrated by the over crowded condition of the public schools. The school board is in a dilema to know how best to look after existing conditions.

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H. E. Rinehart who sustained injuries a few days ago in a vehicle accident and who has been suffering from blood poisoning, is gradually improving and with the best of care will get along nicely. Mr. Rinehart has suffered a great deal of pain on account of his injuries.

TROUBLE IS BREWING.

The Rostraver township supervisors threaten to bring suit against the W. M. B. V. & F. C Railway Co., and enforce the paving of west Schoonmaker avenue from the borough line to the approach of the bridge at Lock 4. It seems that five of the old township supervisors went into an agreement with the Street Car Co. whereby the company was to pave the section of the street 22 feet in width for the right to double track. The agreement was signed by only two of the five and was not binding.

When new supervisors were elected they tried to get $5000.00 from the company in addition to the former agreement but the street car company refused to consider the proposition. The township still wants to compell the paving but the company refuses and has declared the intentions of a continuation of single track system.

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If everything we hear is true, that court house scandal may result in criminal prosecutions.

The business men of Monessen are getting in real earnest. No dead beats allowed "to move and have being on the streets and alleys or in public places."

The bridge now under construction connecting Monessen and Lock 4 is being pushed to completion with remarkable rapidity. Monessen will then have one outlet to the country.

The Suterville people are having trouble with the B. & O. railroad company. Trains are being run through the borough at too high rate of speed and the town authorities are going to put a stop to it. A great wonder that Monessen don't have an ordinance providing a speed limit for trains. The people who oppose the street to the river on account of the danger to human life should act, and act at once.

The movement against the principle of trusts and against business corruption, which is showing activity on all sides, may disappoint the impatient by not accomplishing important results at once. But like all such movements it is merely the disturbance on the surface which shows the potent and permanent changes going on below. It is impossible for the state of things which has been laid bare by private and official exposures to be remedied in a day, but the publicity thrown upon it is the beginning of its end.—Washington Journal

A JOCULAR MONARCH.

Ivan the Terrible Had Cold Blooded Notions About Jesting.

Ivan the Terrible forgot neither his devotions nor his diversions His palace alternately resounded with praying and carousing For his pastime bears were brought from Novgorod When from his window he perceived a group of citizens collected he let slip two or three of these ferocious animals, and his delight on beholding the flight of the terrified creatures, and especially on hearing the cries of the victims, was unbounded His bursts of laughter were loud and long continued To console those who were maimed for life he would sometimes send each of them a small piece of gold

Another of his chief amusements was in the company of jesters, whose duty it was to divert him, especially before and after any executions, but they often paid dearly for an unseasonable joke

Among these none was more distinguished than Prince Gvosdef, who held a high rank at court.

The czar, being one day dissatisfied with a jest, poured over the prince's head the boiling contents of a soup basin The agonized wretch prepared to retreat from the table, but the tyrant struck him with a knife, and he fell senseless to the floor. Dr. Arnolph was instantly called.

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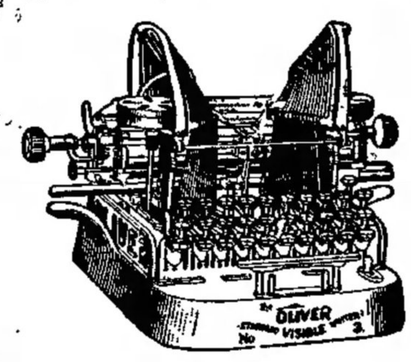

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The Miracle

By TROY ALLISON

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Esther Blake felt certain that there were positions in life that she would have found less trying than that of only child of a popular minister. She loved the dear old rectory, with its shabby furniture; she had grown up feeling that the beautiful gray stone church with the stained glass windows was part of the family possessions; but, while these things helped make the condition pleasanter, they did not keep her from wanting the things that other girls had and to do the things that other girls did.

Christmas after Christmas her lips had quivered when she had received from one to a dozen handsome Bibles from the friends in her father's congregation. Her mother had a sense of humor, and when Esther on her twentieth birthday received Bible No. 37 she laughed and told her daughter that for Christmas she would buy her an adjustable extension bookcase. There seemed nothing else that she needed quite so much.

The girl's face seemed half divided between a desire to laugh and to cry.

"I don't see why they think I don't want a trinket occasionally—a fan, a bracelet or something a little bit frivolous, mamma," she said. "I have nineteen Madonnas hanging in my room, and I have received at various times a copy of almost every religious picture ever printed. Of course I like them, but I wish I could be considered as a mere girl some time and not a part of St. John's church."

She had as a little girl cheerfully given up the dancing lessons that she wanted. She was never invited to card parties because each and every hostess felt a tiny bit doubtful as to whether it would be suitable to extend such invitation to her.

Even the dinner parties and ice cream festivals had failed to be particularly interesting to her—for if there were a curate or a theological student among the guests she was sure to have him assigned to her. As a schoolgirl she had stolen furtive glances at the college boys who wore their hair long and played football—there was something fascinating in the jolly way they laughed—and she had wished that her hostess would understand that she would like occasionally the girlish frivolity of eating a philopena with a football youth. But they never did understand, and she continued to discuss with curates the last Sunday's sermon or a new plan for decorating the church next Easter.

There had, however, been one glorious period of freedom—she had spent two years at a boarding school, had played basketball as hilariously as any girl on the team, had eaten welsh rarebits, cooked at midnight behind covered transoms and chinked doors, with the same temerity shown by the girls who had lawyers or doctors for fathers.

And, best of all, she had become acquainted with vivacious Elise Bourland, whose mother was French and whose father considered life worth living and the world a jolly place to live in.

Contrary to the idea that like seeks like, the two girls, so different, had formed a fast friendship.

When Dick Bourland, who practiced law in a city neighboring the school, paid his weekly visits to his sister, he pronounced demure little Esther Blake altogether charming. At the close of school he told her so, and, finding that she admitted having exactly the same opinion of him, he had taken the long journey to reach the little South Carolina town and state the case to the rector.

Dick's mother had, upon the announcement of the engagement, written a nice little note and invited the girl to come for a visit that she might get acquainted with her future relatives.

The girl stood in the library by the window watching the rain that had been steadily pouring all the forenoon, puckering her forehead in anxious plannings of the possibilities of the case.

"I really don't see how I can go, mamma," she said finally. "It is impossible for papa to afford it now."

Her mother tapped her pen meditatively against the inkstand and tried to help her plan.

"You get your railway fare at half rate, you know, my dear—that helps some—and you could alter my new gray crape and make it look youthful enough for a calling dress. Then you have your white commencement dress. There's a small foundation, you see, to begin with."

Esther came over and sat on a stool by her mother's knee.

"I can't help wanting his people to think I'm nice—and for him to be proud of me. You understand, don't you, motherkins?"

Mrs. Blake patted her on the back and her eyes grew misty.

"Yes, yes, dearie. I understand perfectly—but I also remember that Dick loved my girl for herself—when she didn't have half the pretty clothes the other girls were able to afford. That's the thing to keep in mind, little daughter."

Esther kissed her impulsively. "You are the best kind of a comforter, mother mine. Come, let's look over the remnants of our wardrobes and see if we can't accomplish some of those wonderful things one reads about on the woman's page—'How to make a handsome evening dress out of an old lace curtain,' or 'a dressing sack out of a silk handkerchief trimmed with your father's old neckties plaited into tiny edgings.'"

Mrs. Blake laughed and followed her upstairs. They soon had the girl's bed covered with odds and ends ransacked from both wardrobes.

Esther finally sat down, an old fashioned lavender and white delaine dress that had belonged to her mother's more youthful days lying in her lap.

"I really can make up a lovely little evening dress out of this," she exulted. "I wonder it's not been made over long ago."

Mrs. Blake did not tell her she had kept it packed away in lavender and tender memories because it was the dress she had worn as a bride the first Sunday at St. John's when she came to the then strange town.

"I can manage with the dresses, but I don't see how anything less than a miracle could produce the shoes and gloves that ought to go with them. One could perhaps find a recipe for a pair of long white gloves to go with the short elbow sleeves I intend making for my little lavender dress if there only were time to read enough woman's pages. They might say, 'Take the old silk stockings of your Aunt Eliza and crochet a proper finish, fastening with the pearl buttons taken from your grandfather's white moire vest,' but I'm sure it would take more intellect than I can command to put them together properly and evolve a pair of long white gloves."

Mrs. Blake suddenly sparkled with animation.

"Why, Esther Blake, speaking of miracles, I've had a pair of white gloves, the kind you want, lying in the bottom of my trunk for five years. They may be a little yellow, but we can have them cleaned, and there's plenty of time for the odor of gasoline to wear off them."

She didn't tell the girl the history of those gloves.

Five years before, when the rector was having more financial difficulties than it seemed right for one man to have, he had read the marriage service for one of the wealthiest young men in the town. It was a quiet home wedding, and the bridegroom had laughingly presented him with the bride's gloves as a souvenir.

The rector always had been in the habit of giving all wedding fees to his wife for her own personal use.

When he upon his return home gave her the gloves she had tossed them into her trunk, wondering in the depth of her heart what earthly use the bridegroom thought those gloves would do her financially distressed husband.

She now found them in the very bottom of her trunk and tossed them into Esther's lap.

"After all these years, my dear, maybe they will be of service. They belonged to one bride. Perhaps they will prove a talisman to bring happiness to a girl who is just engaged."

Esther unwrapped one glove from the other and commenced smoothing them out. They were long and soft, of the finest suede.

She slipped one of them on to straighten the fingers, then turned them in astonishment.

"Mamma Blake," she exclaimed, her face crimson with excitement, "there is a piece of paper money folded in every blessed finger of this blessed glove!"

Mrs. Blake turned pale and picked up the mate that had fallen unheeded to the floor.

"Call your father, dearie," she said in an awed whisper. "There's a ten dollar note in each of these fingers. As badly as we've needed money at times, I've had a hundred dollars lying in my trunk for five years."

When Dr Blake came he sat down on the edge of the bed, and the three stared helplessly at the long white gloves.

"I'll go this very afternoon and thank Mr. Carter," he said, looking slightly dazed. "Perhaps he will overlook the thanks being several years delayed when I tell him my little girl is going to wear these gloves at her own wedding."

Date and Rice Experts.

"There are date experts in the Sahara," said a sailor, "men that can distinguish varieties of the date as easily and accurately as you or I can distinguish the various vegetables. As I went from Biskra to Tougourt last winter I learned a lot about dates. I'd thought, the same as you, that there was only one kind. I found there were seventy-nine kinds. And the Arab expert, the date merchant, could tell those seventy-nine kinds apart with ease. All the world's dates come from the Sahara. They grow in the oases. The date palms need just a little water along with the hottest kind of a hot sun—a desert sun. The variety of the date is amazing. I know myself now nine kinds. It's the same with rice in Burma. The best rice comes from there, and there are 102 kinds of it, which the Burmese rice grower has no difficulty in differentiating."—New York Press.

Tiger and Lion.

"One time, in order to test the courage of a Bengal tiger and a lion," said a well known showman, "we placed Chinese crackers in the respective cages and fired the fuses. As soon as the fuses began to burn they attracted the attention of both animals, but in widely different manner. The lion drew into a corner and watched the proceedings with a distrustful and uneasy eye. The tiger, on the contrary, advanced to the burning fuse with a firm step and unflinching gaze. On reaching the cracker he began to roll it over the floor with his paw, and when it exploded beneath his nose he did not flinch, but continued his examination until perfectly satisfied. The lion betrayed great fear when he heard the report of the explosion and for quite a time could not be coaxed out of his den."—London Tit-Bits.

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MERCHANTS UP IN ARMS

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TIME TO CALL A HALT.

Have Declared War on "Dead Beats" Who Will be Forced to Pay Their Bills.

The business men of Monessen have at last awakened to the fact that here as in many other cities exist that class of individuals who parading under the guise of honest citizens persist in living at the expense of their fellow men, and with their realization of how matters stand comes the determination that all these dead beats, who are in reality not one whit better than the common thief, must either pay their bills or they will receive the treatment their dishonesty deserves For a long time this question has been one of grave importance to the local merchants but all their previous efforts to better the conditions have it seems been of no avail

Now however the victims of these injustices have become thoroughly aroused and are determined to bring all delinquents to an accounting and either force them to pay their honest debts or get out of the way.

These people who make a practice of robbing the business men of his living can be divided it seems into several classes. In the first place comes the so called property holder, whose only object is it seems to build up a fortune, accumulate wealth,. These men stop at nothing to attain their greedy grasping purpose, deliberately planning to rob and cheat all those with whom they have dealings, making purchases and contracting bills and allowing them to stand until it will cost their creditors more to have the amount collected than they would realize by so doing. The latter is only one of the many defrauding methods in use by that class of individuals and they are to be placed on the dead beat list where their names will mingle with those of the common bum from which they are only removed by the scale of their operations.

Then comes the class of dead beats which opens an account at a store, probably pays the first week or so for no other purpose than for strengthing his credit and then when his bill gets back so far that it becomes burdensome he adopts the motto of "It being cheaper to move than pay rent" and transfers his account to another store where ten chances to one the same tactics are employed.

Last and most annoying of all is that class made up of the bar room bum or "whiskey soak" as he is commonly known. He hangs around the saloon the greater part of his time, except when he is at home cursing his family, spending all he makes, and in many instances the pitiful pittance which represents the toil of his wife and children, while his little ones at home go hungry, the rent unpaid and the family in general unprovided for. When such men as these are unable to longer obtain credit they will be compelled to furnish to their families the necessaries of life or the firm hand of the law will be called into use.

Doctors, Druggists, Grocers and Clothiers are alike, the victims of the dead beat and it is to be hoped that the united efforts on their part to rid themselves of the condition which has so long proved a thorn in the flesh be crowned with success.

Paid the Penalty.

Giovanni Mallini, murderer of Antonio Reppi, paid the penalty for his crime and was executed in the county jail at Uniontown yesterday morning.Just as the court house bell toiled 10 o'clock the doomed man was brought from his cell and one minute later Sheriff Mart A. Keifer sprung the trap. It was necessary to pull the string twice, for the trap caught. J. S Watt of Pittsburg who furnished the rope and adjusted the hood on Mallini, stamped on the trap to make the gruesome work as short as possible.

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COAL LAND TRANSFERRED.

W. W. Luce of this City Prominent in the Transfer of 900 Acres of Washington County Coal.

W. W. Luce one of our local real estate dealers has just closed out one of the largest coal deals that has been consummated in Washington county for several years. Mr. Luce started in the real estate business here about two years ago and since has made a specialty of coal and farm lands. Yesterday's Washington Observer in summing up the recent deal has the following to say: A number of the Jefferson township farmers who recently sold their coal in that township were in Washington yesterday receiving the first payment on the sale. The sale was made to W. W Luce, who in turn transferred the property to R. L. Biddle, of Donora, who, it is understood, represents the Pittsburg Wabash Gas Coal Co The price received for this block of coal ranged from $65 to $75 per acre while the same company paid $125 for some of its holdings near the Wabash railroad over the state line in Brooke county W. Va.

The farms included in the deal with their acreage that were settled yesterday are: Thompson Criss, 201 acres; Jacob Dimit, 96½ acres; Frank Magee, 100 acres; J K. P. Boles, 70 acres; John L. Boles heirs, 101 acres; R. B. McCready, 271 acres; M. W. Schary, 41 acres; W. W. Knight, 7 acres. This tract embraces nearly 900 acres but this company has over 2,000 acres in this county and Brooke county, W. Va., adjoining this block and facing the Wabash railroad, also in close proximity to the Panhandle railroad. Other farms in this county that were recently purchased by the same company are the Franklin Scott farm and the James Scott heirs farm of 135 acres.

Messers. Luce and Biddle in conversation with a representative of the Observer stated that it was the intention of this coal company to operate this territory soon and in order to do this it will be necessary to construct a branch railroad from the Wabash to their holdings as they have not purchased the coal under that portion of their territory facing on the Wabash.

WEBSTER NOTES.

D. A. Kroger of Homestead was a business visitor in town yesterday.

R. L. McMahon was in the Smoky City yesterday on a business errand.

Miss Dora Simmins is spending a week with friends and relatives at Briar Hill.

Miss Mary and Kate Stathers of Brownsville spent yesterday here the guests of their cousin Mr. Fred Stathers.

Fred Naylor, James Taylor and Albert Wenszel witnessed the double leader between the Pirates and the Brooklyn's at Exposition park Wednesday.

A game of base ball is scheduled for the local grounds this evening between Webster and the Ella A. C.'s. As a great deal of rivalry exists between the teams an interesting game can be looked for.

Mrs. R. L. McMahon and son John will leave tomorrow morning for Chicigo, Ill where they will spend about three weeks with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. James Conroy, Mrs. John Taylor, Mrs. Dan McKay and Miss Cassie McKay all of Webster attended the Orphans' picnic which was held at Calhoun park Wednesday, for the benefit of the St. Paul's Orphans Asylum.

A very important event among the foreign population was the christening of the infant son of Jack Currio which took place yesterday. According to the way these affairs are generally conducted this one was pulled off in an exceedingly orderly manner.

That wild throw of O'Neill's in the eleventh inning was a costly one for Fayette City

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THE VALLEY LEAGUE RACE.

Yesterday's Results

Charleroi, 5. Monongahela, 2.

California, 2. Fayette City, 1.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Clubs	Won	Lost	Pct.
Charleroi	17	6	.738
California	15	7	.682
Belle Vernon	10	11	.479
Monongahela	9	11	.450
Monessen	7	13	.350
Fayette City	6	16	.273

Games Today

Belle Vernon at Monessen.

Monongahela Loses to Leaders.

Monongahela was defeated at Charleroi yesterday by the score of 5 to 2, which makes the third time in succession that aggregation has come out at the little end of the horn. Lavery pitched a good game for Charleroi, fanning nine of the visiting batsmen and made one of Charleroi's five runs. He was given excellent support. Kummer Monongahela's much talented twirler was decidely off his feed allowing the home swatsman eleven safe drives. The fielding of the visitors was also on the "rinkey dink."

The score:

Charleroi—	R	H.	P.	A.	E.
Kennoy, s,	1	2	1	4	0
McCleary, m	2	2	2	1	0
Harrel, 2	0	1	0	4	2
Coulson, l,	0	2	1	0	1
Abbott, r	0	2	0	0	0
Harmuth, 3,	0	0	2	0	0
Springer, l	1	1	10	0	0
Fisher, c	0	0	10	0	0
Lavery, p,	1	1	1	1	0
Totals	5	11	27	10	3

Monongahela—	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Griffith, 3,	0	0	3	1	1
Haywood, 2,	0	0	4	2	0
Murray, c,	0	1	4	3	1
Howe, m,	0	0	0	0	0
McGinty, s,	1	0	0	3	0
Wood, l,	1	2	3	0	0
Duffy, 1,	0	1	9	0	1
McKnight, r,	0	1	0	0	1
Kummer p,	0	1	1	1	0
Totals	2	6	24	10	4

Charleroi.....2 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 *—5

Monongahela.....0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—2

Two-base hits—Coulson, McKnight, Abbot. Three base hits—Kennoy, Duffy. Sacrifice hits—Harrell, Haywood. Stolen bases—Abbott. Struck out—By Lavery, 9. by Kummer, 3. First base on balls—Off Lavery, 2; off Kummer, 1. Hit by pitched ball—Griffith. Double play—McGinty, Haywood and Duffy. Time—1:55. Umpire—Pete Naylor. Attendance—500.

Eleven Innings at Fayette City.

In an eleven inning pitchers battle at Fayette City yesterday the home team lost to Roscoe-California by the score of 2 to 1. A bad throw to the plate by Barney O'Neill in the eleventh lost the game for the Tailenders. The score:

Fayette City	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Wilson, 1,	0	0	14	1	1
O'Brien, s,	0	0	3	1	1
H. Elliot, m	0	1	2	1	0
G. Elliot, 3,	0	1	3	1	0
O'Neil, 2,	1	1	4	6	0
Carroll, 1,	0	1	1	0	1
Gillie, r,	0	1	1	1	1
Wood, c,	0	0	5	1	0
Patrich, p,	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	1	5	33	14	4

California—	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Hart, s,	1	2	0	2	0
Dewar, 3,	0	1	1	2	0
Welty, l	0	0	13	0	2
Hall, 2,	1	1	2	6	0
Humphries, l.	0	4	3	0	0
Werton, m	0	0	1	0	0
Jenkins, r,	0	0	2	0	1
Kerr, c	0	2	11	1	0
Casey, p,	0	1	0	3	1
Totals	2	11	33	14	4

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Monongahela ...1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—2

Two-base hits—Humphries, 2. Bases on balls—Off Casey, 1; of Patrich, 1. Hit by pitched balls—By Casey, 1; by Patrich 2. Double plays—Hart, Hall and Welty; O'Brien, O'Neill and Wilson; O'Brien and O'Neill. Struck out—By Casey, 8; by Patrich—2. Time—1:55. Umpire—Lowers.

CHOSE THE WRONG METHOD

The Monongahela Time hold up her "lone stand" on the umpire question as an example to be followed by all of the other towns. So far all she has done towards the betterment of the conditions was to bully rag the Monessen and Fayette City clubs. If the Times really desires to improve the present system let it go about the accomplishment of that purpose in a more sensible sportsman like manner and it will receive the support of every club in the league. Bully raging is not the proper method.

Base Ball Scraps.

Belle Vernon plays here today.

Either Bolig or Shutterly on the rubber

Charleroi won again yesterday.

Roscoe-Cal. looks like a winner just now.

Yesterday's game is the third Monongahela has lost in succession.

Those Charleroi boys slugged the ball some yesterday.

Casey the ex-champ is making good with the Combines.

Belle Vernon's shake up must have done her good. She's back in third place anyway.

Tommy Murray has accepted a birth with the Monongahela team. He will be behind the bat.

The leaders keep on winning.

The locals will try hard to take a fall out of the Champs today.

The Elizabeth Marines beat Clariton at Clariton yesterday by the score of 4 to 1.

Wabash Working in the Valley.

The corps of Wabash surveyors, numbering about thirteen men, which have been stationed at Webster the past few days will finish their work in that locality today and will leave tomorrow morning for Monongahela. F. S. Parson who is in charge of the men would give out no definate information when seen this morning. However it is intimated on good authority that the work is on a branch line the Wabash people are endeavoring to put through to West Virginia.

THE PHILOSOPHY OF LOVE.

Love is kindly and deceitless.—Yeats.

Love can sun the realms of night.—Schiller.

They do not love that do not show their love.—Shakespeare.

Love's a thing that's never out of season.—Barry Cornwall.

He that shuts out love in turn shall be shut out by love.—Tennyson.

The greatest miracle of love is the cure of coquetry.—La Rochefoucauld.

Love is master of the wisest; it is only fools that defy him.—Thackeray.

Love never dies of starvation, but often of indigestion.—Ninon de l'Enclos

The magic of first love is the ignorance that it can ever end.—Beaconsfield.

Man's love is of man's life a thing apart; 'tis woman's whole existence.—Byron.

It is impossible to love a second time when we have once really ceased to love.—La Rochefoucauld.

Bulow's Wonderful Memory.

Bulow had a wonderful memory, as was evidenced by his astonishing feat of memorizing Kiel's concerto, which the man who wrote it could not accompany without notes. His accuracy was almost infallible. He was once rehearsing a composition of Liszt's for orchestra in that composer's presence without notes. Liszt interrupted to say that a certain note should have been played piano. "No," replied Bulow, "it is sforzando." "Look and see," persisted the composer. The score was produced. Bulow was right. How everybody did applaud! In the excitement one of the brass wind players lost his place. "Look for a b flat in your part," said Bulow, still without his notes. "Five measures farther on I wish to begin."

The Word "Asphalt."

Of deceitful ancestry is the word "asphalt." Apparently it means "not slippery." The Greeks themselves were tempted to derive "asphaltos" from "a," not, and "sphallo," make to fall or slip. However, the word is really of unknown barbarian origin—Phoenician, some say. Asphalt was in use very early in history. It is said to have been the slime with which the infant Moses' ark of bulrushes was daubed and which the builders of the tower of Babel used instead of mortar.

Butchery In War.

In one of the Du Guesclin's victories so many English were taken captive that even the humblest soldier among the French had one or more prisoners. The victors, however, fell to quarrelling, and, ill feeling becoming rife in the French army in consequence of these quarrels over the prisoners, Du Guesclin ordered all the captives to be butchered, and the brutal order was carried out.

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